

Libellus/ qui Informatio puerorū appellatur
cū modico apparatu nouiter cōpilat⁹/ Incipit.







How many partys of reason be
there? viii. Nowne. Pronown
verbe. partyciple. preposicion.
aduerbe. Interiection and cons
unctyon. Of the whiche viii.
partys iiii. be declyned. Nowne. pronowne and
Participle with case. Verbe oonly withoute case
That other iiii. be vndeclyned. ¶ How many
of these be necessary to make a parfight reason?
ii. at the leest/ wherof that one betokeneth to do/ or
to suffre/ or to be as verbe. That other betokeneth
the thyng doynge/ suffrynge or beyng. as now
ne and pronowne. But nowne of hym selfe beto
keneth a certeyne thyng comonly/ or properly.
Comonly/ as vrbs flumen/ & other lyke. whych
ar called Nownes comon or appellatyues/ be lon
gynge to many thynges of their first ordynaūce
Properly/ as Roina Tybris: with other proper
nownes of men/ places & flodys. And these ar cal
led nownes proper belongynge to our thyng of
their first ordynaūce. ¶ Pronowne betokeneth a
certeyne thinge: nat of hym selfe: but by the wey
of shewynge or reportynge.

h How many thynges belonge to a nowne
or pronowne? vi. Forme. Figure. Gender.
noumber. persone and case. ¶ How many for
mes be there? ii. Prymytyf/ & deryuatyf. ¶ How
knowest a nowne or pronowne pmytyfe? For he

nat formed of any other worde: As this Nowne
Mons. & these viii. pronownes Ego. Tu. Sui.
Ille. Ipse. Iste. Hic. & Is. ¶ Of the which: Ego
Tu ben only demonstratyues. Sui only relatyf
The residue: somtyme demonstratyues: as whan
they shewe a thyng nat spoken of afore. Som-
tyme relatyues: as whan they reporten a thyng
spoken of afore. ¶ How knowest a nowne or p-
nowne deryuatyue: For he is formed of another
worde/as montan⁹. & these pronownes possessiues
Meus Tuus Suus Noster & Vester. with Pos-
stras & Vestras. ¶ How many figures be there?
iii. Symple/as magnus: Compoūde: as Mag-
nanimus. Decompoūde/as Magnanimitas.
¶ In pronownes ar but. ii. fygures. Symple: as
Iste. Compoūde/as Isthic. ¶ How many gen-
ders be there: vii. Masculyne: Femynyne: Neuter:
Comon of ii. Comon of iii. Epycen/ and Dubyn
¶ How knowest a nowne of the masculyn gen-
der: For he is declyned w^t this article hic. as hic
magister. How of the femynyne: For he is declyn-
ned w^t hec: as hec musa. How of the neuter: for
he is declyned w^t hoc: as hoc scannū. How of the
comon of ii: For he is declyned with hic & hec: as
hic & hec sacerdos. How of the comō of iii: For he
is declyned with hic hec & hoc: as hic & hec & hoc
felix. How of the pycen: For vnder one artycle &
one voyce he comprehendeth both male & female

as hic passer. hec aquila. Howe of the dubyn? for
he is declyned with hic vel hec: as hic vel hec dies
¶ All pnownes except Nostras & vestras ben de
clyned withoute artycle. neuertheles hauynge iii
dyuers endynges i the sted of iii. artycles: excepte
Ego. tu. sui. which alwey ben of such gender. as
is the name of the thyng she wed or reported by
them. ¶ How many noumbres be there? ii. The
singuler & the plurell. How knowest the singuler
noumbre? for he speketh but of one thyng as a mā
How knowest the plurell? for he spekethe of ma
ny thynges as men. How many psones be there?
iii. The first. the secounde. the thirde. Howe kno
west the first? for he speketh of hym self: as Ego
& nos. Howe knowest the secoūde? for he speketh
to another: as Tu & vos: with the vocatyfe case.
both of nownes & pnownes. How knowest the
thirde? for he speketh of another: as Ille iste wi
th all other nownes and pnownes.

¶ And here is to be noted that the secoūde pson
ceyueth the thirde. The first conceyueth both ly
ke wyse the femynyn gender ceyueth the neuter
The masculyne conceyueth bothe.

¶ How many cases be there? vi. The noiattyue
The genytyue. the datyue. The accusatyue. The
vocatyue & the ablatyue. by the whiche. vi. cases
ar declyned Nownes pnownes and ptyciples.
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dyuerse cases. & in especiall the vocatyue case. as
these iiii. noʒnes with their compouides. Alter &
alter. Illus & Alius. Lyke wyse all pronoynes
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v. the first is of noʒnes endynge in a. as.
oʒ es: whose genytyfe & datyfe singuler: the nomi
natyue & vocatyue plurell shall ende in ae/ diph
thonguin. The accusatyfe in m/ with the vovvel
of the nomynatyue. And for noʒnes of greke in
The vocatyf & the ablatyue in the vovvel of the
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case lyke. Oʒ in vs: & than makynge the vocatyfe
in e. All be it oft tymes the nomynatife in vs. is
vled for the vocatife: oʒ i ius/ & than makinge the
vocatyfe in i/ cast away vs. if it be the proper na

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and the ablatyue in o. The accusattyfe in um. the
genytyfe plurell in ozum. The datyfe & the ablas
tyue in is. The accusattyfe in os.

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in one of the letters that be cōtyened i thys
woʒde / Claſtrenor. Whole genytyfe ſynguler en
dethe in is. the datyue in i. the accusattyue in Em.
and ſomtyne in im. The vocattyue ſhall be lyke
the noimynattyue. The ablatyue in e. oʒ in J The
noimynattyue accusattyue: and vocattyue plurel in
es. The genytyue in vin oʒ in lum. The datyue
and the ablatyue in bus.

t The forth declenſon is of noʒnes endyng
in vs. oʒ in v. whole genytif ſinguler: no
mynattyue accusattyue & vocatife plurell endethe
in vs. The datyue in vi. The accusattyue in vin:
oʒ in v. the vocatife ſhalbe lyke the noiattyfe. The
ablatyue in v. The genytyue plurell in vum. the
datyue and ablatyue in ibus / & ſomtyne in vb⁹
as theſe noʒnes. Artus. and archus. Portus / &
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in bs. or in v. whole genytif ſinguler: no
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tus comu.

Whose nomynatyue & vocatyue endeth in o The genytyue in orum/arium/orum: The datyfe and the ablatyue i obus:abus:obus. The accusatyue in os.as.o.

The fyfte declenſon is of nouns endynge i es. bothe in the nomynatyue and vocatiue ſingular. & the nomynatyue accusatyue & vocatyue plurell. The genytyue / and datyue in ei. The accusatyue in em. The ablatyue in e. the genytyue plurell in ez. The datyue & ablatyue in obus. ¶ After theſe declenſons ar declyned all partys of reaſon declyned wyth caſe. Excepte pronouns pryncypales. whiche ar otherwiſe declyned, & yf iii. maner. Ego. tu. ſui. after one. Ille. Ipſe. Iſte. after another, and then foloweth theſe nouns Tot⁹. vn⁹. ſolus. vter. alter. vll⁹. ali⁹. wyth their compoſides. After the thirde maner. hic and Is: Whome foloweth Quis wyth his compoundes.

How many maner of nouns be there: iii. A noſone ſubſtantyue. a noſone adiectyue a noſone relatyue. ¶ How knoweſt a noſon ſubſtatyue: For he may ſtonde by hym ſelf without helpe of another worde. and is declyned with one article oꝝ ii. at the moost: as hic magiſter. hic & hec ſacerdos. And of this nature ben Noſtras / and Veſtras. with all Pronouns demonſtratyues. but cheiſly Ego & Tu. though they be nat declyned wyth artycles.

Under adiecti-
tyues ar com-
pyled dyuerſe
kynnes or no-
unes. of whi-
che is made
menciō anone
after.

Ille. he. Illa.
ſhe. Illi. they.

How knowest a noſſone adiectif? For he may nat ſtande by hymſelf withoute helpe of another worde & is declyned with iii. articles, or iii. dyuerſe endynges or with both: as hic & hec & hoc felix. Bonus bona bonū. hic campeſter. hec campeſtris hoc campeſtre. ¶ But yet in the newter gender ofte tyme an adiectyf is put ſubſtantyuatly that is to ſay: as a ſubſtantyfe. ¶ Of the nature of adiectyue at all partyciples and pronownes poſſeſſiues withoute doute. And theſe pronownes/ Ille Ipſe Iſte hic & Iſ. whan they be demōſtratyues ben ſomtyme as adiectyues.

Ille vir. That man. Illa mulier. that woman. Illi viri. tho men.

¶ And here note a conſoꝛde of grāmer betwene the adiectyf and the ſubſtantif: whiche is thys. The adiectyf muſt accorde with his ſubſtantyue in iii. In caſe. gender and nouber. ¶ Neuertheleſſe ſome adiectyf ſhall accorde in gender with the genytif caſe folowynge: which be tho? Noſſone partytue/ as Alter alius. Diſtributyue: as Nullus Quisq;. Interrogatyue/ as Uter/ Quis. Infinites/ as vternis. Quisquis. Suplatyues & other like. All theſe ſhall accorde with the genytyue folowynge in gender only.

Ille ſtatim excreſcentur pueri in conſigendis adiectiuis et ſubſtantiuis p omnes caſus & numeros.

How knowest a relatyue? For he reportethe a thyng goynge before. & that is called the antyce dent: whiche if it be a ſubſtantyue / the relatyue therof is called a relatyue of ſubſtaunce: as Qui Que; Quod; & this pronowne; Sui: with other

pronounes that be somtyme relatyues.
And these maner of relatyues shall accorde with
their antycedent in iii. gender nouber & persone.
And if the antycedent be an adiectyf: the relatyfe
therof is called a relatyfe of accydence. As qualis
quantus. But these shall nat accorde wyth their
antecedent: as relatyues of substaunce/ but wyth
substantyues as other adiectyues.

Now for as moch as Comparyson longethe
chiesly to nomine adiectiues: late vs se how
many degrees of cōparison be there: iii. The po
lytife. The comparatife. The superlatyue.

How knowest the polittife: for he is the ground
& fundament of all other degrees of comparison.

Howe knowest the cōparatyfe: for he passeth
his polytif with this aduerbe more/ and his En
glyshe endeth in Er/ as wiser. **H**ow knowest
the suplatyfe: for he passeth his polytife wyth
this aduerbe most: & his englysh endeth in st: as
wysst.

Of whome is the comparatyue four
med: Of his polytife. of what case: Somtyme
of the genytyue. somtyme of the datyue. whan
of that one whan of that other: whan the politif
is the secoūde declynson: of the genytyfe: whanne
the thirde of the datyf. by puttyng to oꝝ & vs as
albi. hic & hec albi oꝝ/ & hoc albius. felici. hic et hec
felicioꝝ. & hoc felicius. **A**nd of the same cases is
fourmed the superlatyue by puttyng to s & sim⁹

as **Albi: albissimus. Felici felicissimus.** Wythoute
it be so that the nomynatyue of the posytyue end
in r/ than the suplatife shall be fourmed of the no
mynatyue. by puttynge to rimus/ as pulcer. pul
cerimus. ¶ Oute of this rule ben many excepte
first. Bonus melior optimus. Malus peior pessi
mus. Magn⁹ maior maximus. Paruus minor
minim⁹. Mult⁹ plus plurim⁹. ¶ Nownes also
compoūde of dico & facto/ as maledicus maledicē
cior maledicentissimus. Beneficus beneficencior
beneficentissim⁹. ¶ Also nownes hauynge a vo
well before vs/ whych hath no cōparatife in. vse:
but with this aduerbe magis: as plus magis pi⁹
¶ Also iuuenis iunior. Sener senior. both wyth
oute vs & wythoute superlatife. Nequā nequior:
nequissim⁹. & Dexter dexterior dextim⁹. Sinister
sinisterior sinistim⁹. Uetus veterrimus. matur⁹
maturrimus & maturissimus

¶ Also these v. nownes: Facilis: agilis: gracilis:
hūilis similis with ther cōpoūdis which formeth
ther suplatyue of the noiattyfe case / by doynge a
way is: & puttynge to lim⁹. as facilis facillimus

Other partys of reason maketh cōparyson
as this verbe Detero makethe Deterior de
terrimum. Participles also goynge into nownes
as Amans/ amantior: amantissimus. & Doctus:
doctior doctissimus. Also preposicions or aduer
bes. as Ante anterior. Prædem/ prior/ prius.

De memori et
suis gradibus
dubito.

Wissclan⁹ me
minst tñ de p^r
imus.

Posterior⁹ postremus. Supra superior⁹ supre-
mus/oz summus. Infra inferior⁹ infimus. Citra
citerior⁹ citimus. Ultra ulterior⁹ ultim⁹. Extra ex-
terior⁹ extremus & extim⁹. Intra interior⁹ intimus
Prope propior⁹ proxim⁹. Penitus penitior⁹ peni-
tissimus. Bene penissime. Super nuper⁹ nuperrimus. &
Ocys ocyor⁹ ocysissimus. Diu diutior⁹ diutissimus
Satis satius. Secus secius. ¶ And these. ii. sup-
latyues/ Intimus & proxim⁹ ben as polytyues
and hath comparatyues degrees.

How knowest a verbe? For he is a parte of
reson declyned with mode and tense wyth
nombze & person/without case & artycle. & beto-
keneth to do/suffre oz to be. ¶ How many declen-
sons of verbys oz cōiugacions be there? iiii. The
first/ which hath a longe before re / in the ifinytif
mode oz the impatyue mode. as amare. Excepte
dare with his cōpōides. ¶ The secoūde/ which
hath a longe before re/ in any of the same mode.
as Docere. ¶ The thirde hath a shorte before re/
as Legere. The fourth hath a longe before re. as
Audire. & hath a also before o & oz/ in the presens
tens of the indicatyf mode. Excepte Eo/ & Quo.
with their compoundys. ¶ Sum volo/fero with
their cōpōidis ar of no cōiugacyon. howe be it
volo & fero foloweth in many thynges the thyrd
cōiugacyon. ¶ How many modes be there? v
indicatyue/which she weth oz asketh a reson soth

or false. ¶ Imperatyfe which byddeth or cōmaū
derh. ¶ Optatyfe which wyllleth or desyꝛeth w^t
thele signes wolde/ shulde/ ought/ wolde god/ let
it be that. Cōiūctife: which is loyned wīthe other
modes by meane of zūctyons causynge a rea-
son to hange. as Si q̄uls q̄q̄. tametsi. cum licet.
etsi. All be it many of these: woll serue to an In-
dicatyf mode Infynityfe which comonly folow
eth a nother verbe withoute any relatyfe/ or con-
iūctyon goynge betwene. And also to before a
verbe is signe of Infynityfe mode

Now many tensys be there: v. The presen-
tens which speketh of the tyme y^e is now
The preterimperfytens: which speketh of the tyme
a lytill and nat fully passyd. ¶ The preterperfy-
tens: whych speketh of the tyme fully passyd wī-
th this signe haue. ¶ The preterpluperfytense
which speketh of the tyme more than fully passyd
with this signe had ¶ The futertens: which spe-
keth of the tyme to come w^t this signe shall woll
¶ How many noumbres be there: ii. Synguler:
as lego legis legit. Plurell: as legimus. tis. gunt.
¶ How many psones be there: iiii. The firste/ as
Lego. legimus. The secoūde: as Legis. legitis.
The thirde: as Legit. legunt. ¶ And all suche
verbis as hath noumbre and psones: ar called pso-
nalles. Other there be that lackethe noumbre and
psone/ and those be impersonalles. All be it they

be declyned in the voyce bothe actyfe; & passife of
 the thirde pson singular / by all modys & tensys
¶ Which ben verbes that betoken to do? All ver
 bes actyues neuters: except neuter passives or sub
 stantives. also verbes comon and deponentes ex
 cept nascor orior & patior. **¶** Which betokeneth to
 suffre? All verbe passives/neuter passives: and co
 mon: with the forsayde deponentes. **¶** Which be
 tokeneth to be? Verbe substantives. **Sū es fut.**
How knowest a verbe actyfe? for he endeth
 in o / & may take r vpon o. makinge of hym
 selfe a passyfe: & betokeneth to do / governynge an
 accusatyue case after hym of a resonable thyng.
¶ All be it facio with certeyn his of his cōpōdis
 maketh no passyue of them selfe. But fio with li
 ke cōpōdis stādeth in the place of their passyues
¶ How knowest a passyue? For he endeth in R/
 & by puttyngela way r. retourneth into his actyfe
 & woll haue after hym an ablatyfe with a pposy
 cyon signyfyinge the doer. **¶** How knowest a
 neuter? For he endeth in o like an actife/and may
 nat take r vpon io. All be it some betoken to suffre
 lyke a passyue: as neuter passyues. Some to doo
 hauynge an accusatyfe case after theym lyke an
 actyue: though nat of a resonable thyng. & those
 may be passyued in the thirde pson singular and
 plurell. **¶** How knowest a verbe deponēt? for he
 euer endeth in r lyke a passyue/hauynge the signi

Calefacio
 Calefio.

ficacyon & constructyon of a neuter oꝛ an actyue.

How knowest a verbe comon: foꝛ he hath the voyce of a passyue & the signyfication bothe of actyue & passyue. as osculoꝛ to kysse/ oꝛ to be kysled
Howe many thynges cometh of a verbe/ gouer-
nyng like case after them as the verbe that they come of: iiii. gerundyues supynes and participles

Gerundyues be iii. In di: & that betokeneth to do/ oꝛ of doynge. & cometh after certeyn/ both substantyues & adiectyues: as tēpus: volūtas: causa

Cupidus: audus: and other lyke. **I**n do/ and that betokeneth doynge as well in the datif as in the ablatife case with a p̄posityon oꝛ wythoute: oꝛ able to do: and that in the datyue case only: as

Non sum soluendo. **I**n dū/ & that betokeneth somtyme necessite/ & than he is ioyned with Sūes fui. as legendū est. Somtyme the entente/ and than he woll haue ad before Somtyme the space whyle we be a doynge/ & than inter goeth afoꝛe: as Intercenandum.

How many supyns be there: ii. & both betokeneth to do/ but the first hath t̄wo cases. the accusatyfe & ablatyfe. as accusatiuo, hoc Lectum/ and this foloweth verbes betokenynge mouynge to a place. & ablatiuo ab hoc Lecto. and this cometh after this noȝne opus indeclinabile. **T**he latter supyne cometh alwey after certeyne adiectyues: as facilis: difficilis: suauis: iucūdis.

Salustius
Præcipue incl
pias consultor
ubi cōsulueris
mature facto
opus est

How knowest a participle: for he is a parte
of reason declyned with case & article: and
taketh parte of noþone: parte of verbe. What of
noþone: gender nounþre and case. What of ver-
be: Tyme significacyon and fygure.

How many tensis be there: iiii. the p̄sent tens
The first futer. The p̄tertens & the latter futer

How knowest a partyciple of the p̄sent tens
For his laten endeth in ans or in ens / and hys en-
gylshe in yng or in and / as amans docens: Lo-
uynge or louand. techinge / or techand. And is for-
med of the p̄terimperfytense of the actyfe voyce
and the first plone synguler / by chaunchynge bā
into ns / as amabain. amans. Docebaín. Docens:

Out take J̄ens of J̄bam. & Quiens of quibam.
With their cōpōūdis.

How knowest a p̄tycyp-
le of the first futer: for his laten endethe in Rus
and betokeneth to do like the infynityfe mode of
the actife / or aboute to do: as amaturus: to loue:
or aboute to loue. And is fourmed of the latter su-
pyne / by puttynge to Rus. as amatu amaturus.

Outake nasciturus of nasco: nasceris natum na-
tu. and ignosciturus of ignosco ignoscis ignotū
ignotu. And these two partycples of the p̄sent
tens & of the first futer. comethe oute of the verbe
actifs & neuís that lacken supyns. How knowest
a p̄tycypale of the p̄tertens: For his laten endeth
in Tus or in Sus / or in rus / and his Englyshe

I am aboute
to wyte lette
Scripturus sū
litteras,

is lyke the englyssh of the verbe passyue: withoute the signyficacōn of *Sū es fui.* ¶ For eucry verbe passyue hath the signyficacion of *Sum es fui.* & the participle of the p̄tertens in all modes and tenses, as *Doceo.* I am taught. *Doctus.* taught. *Uideo.* I am seene. *Uisus.* seene. *Pecco.* I am knyght. *Pexus.* knyght And is fourmed of the latter supyne, by puttyng to s: as *Doctu.* doctus.

¶ Howe knowest a participle of the later futer. For his laten endeth in *Dus.* and betokeneth to suffre like the infynyte mode of the passyue or worthy to suffre, as *amādu.* to be loued / or woorthy to be loued. And is fourmed of the genytyfe case synguler of the participle of the p̄sent tens by chaūgyng *ti* into *dus*: as *amāti.* amandus

Dicimus ti.
Thou arte to
blame. *Tu es*
culpandus.

¶ And these ii. participles of the p̄tertens / and the latter futer cometh oute of the passyue. & the hōlci. of a verbe comon. And thre of the first of a verbe deponent.

Now the cheif parties of reason: somwhat known both in laten and in englyssh / it is necessary to knowe the distinctyons of cases in englyssh. without the which can nat be known the congrue ioynnyng of one part with another in laten / & in especyall noȝne or p̄noȝne with verbe

¶ Firste than howe knowest the noiattyfe case: the noiatisfe case may be diuers / but one is cheyfe & fyyst to be sought, the noiattyfe case to the verbe.

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How shalt thou know hym? for he betokeneth
th the thyng doynge: suffrynge or beyng: after
as the verbe is answeryng to this qstion who: or
what. **A** therfore whan I haue an englyssh to
make in laten: first I must loke oute the verbe: &
se whether he be personall / or impersonall. And if
he be impersonall: he hath no nominatyue case.

If he be personall: for as moch as he betokeneth to
do/to suffre or to be, nedys must there be a nother
parte to whome belongeth the doynge suffrynge
or beyng: & that shall be the nominatyue case to the
verbe. **A**nd why is this called the cheyf nominaty
ue case? For byt wene this nominatyue case on-
ly and the verbe is the cheif cōcorde of grammer.

As for other nominatyfe cases: the verbe shal
nat accorde with them. which be tho? Suche as
apperteyneth to the cheif nominatyue case. For
all that belongeth to one thinge shalbe put in one
case. And suche as be coupled to the cheife nomys
natyue case by verbe copulatyues. as *Sū es fui:*
and verbe passyues that betokeneth callynge/ na
myng or Juyng.

In how many shall this nominatyfe case and
the verbe accorde? In ii. Nombze and Person.

What place kepeth the cheif nominatyue case
in comon speche: cometh he before the verbe or af-
ter? Allwey before the verbe/excepte reasons inter
rogatyues: Imperatyues: and some optatyues

*Iohā am Ju
ges avertuous
childe.
Ego iohānes
Judico: puer
studiosus*

In reasons interrogatyues/he cometh alwey after the verbe / or bitwene the signe of the verbe/ and the verbe: without it be so that a nomine In terrogatyue be the nomynatyue case to the verbe/ or ellys be gouerned of the nomiatyue case to the verbe, For than he shall come after the verbe

And for a generall rule of nomines relatyues: both of substaunce and of accydence: also interro gatyues/ Infynytes/ and also their gouernours if there be any besyde the verbe: what so euer cas se they be of alwey cometh afore the verbe.

In reasons imperatyues he shall neuer come after the verbe/ nouthur i reasons optatyues that be lyke thimperatyues.

Also in reasons optatyues/ we vse ofte tyme this englyssh Let/ in the first psones & the thirde: singuler and plurell. And than the nomynatyue case cometh bytwene this englyssh and the verbe howe be it moore lyke an accusatyue in maner of speche than a nomynatyue.

In other reasons also where this englyssh/ there cometh afore the verbe: the nomynatyue case too the verbe cometh after the verbe in comon speche or bitwene the signe of the verbe and the verbe All be it the englyshe turned: he may come befo re the verbe conueniently ynough.

Teche the the
maister Doct
preceptor. hath
the master tau
ght. Docuiſſo
ceptor. Who te
che the. Quis
docet. Whose
Wyr is mooste
prayed i thys
gramerſcole.
Cuius poſſi
mum.

Let me here.
Audiam ego.
Let hym here
Audiat ille.
Late rs here.
Audiam⁹ nos
Let them here
Audiant illi
There be ma
ny Theurs in
this realme
Multi ſunt in
hoc regno la
trones.
There ſhal be
hanged ſhort
ly a notable
theſe.
Suspendetur⁹
breuiſ latro qui
dam inſignis.

Seruire deo ē
optimum

What parties of reason may be nominatyue
case to the verbe? All nouns & pronouns sub-
stantyues. All nouns relatyues of substantice:
all pronouns pryncyptyues: all adiectyues in the
neuter gender substantyuatly. The infynityfe mo-
de with his casuall. Also dyuers aduerbes. More
ouer euery parte of reason if he be taken for the
selfe voyce: and nat for his signyficacyon

But what if there be many verbes in one re-
ason: what shalt thou do than? Loke oute
the pryncipall verbe of them. How shalt thou
knowe the pryncipall verbe? For the firste verbe
alwey is the pryncypall verbe withoute it be the i-
fynityfe mode/ or the verbe of a relatyfe/ or of a cō-
iunction/ or of an Aduerbe. I meane nat cuery cons-
iunction neyther aduerbe: but only suche as caus-
seth a reason suspense or hangynge.

The pryncipall verbe foude: I must seke oute
his nominatyf case after the forsaide rule. wherein
is no hardnesse whan the pryncypall verbe is the
first verbe: for than the nominatyfe case is at hande.

But whan the verbe of the relatyfe is the first
verbe: than the nominatyf case to the pryncipall
verbe is alwey far of. And lyke wyse whan the
verbe of the coniunctyon or aduerbe is first: But
nat alwey. And as for the nominatyfe cases
to the nat pryncipall verbes. I shall seke them li-
ke wyse as I do the nominatyf case to the pryncipall

verbe. For the relatyue selfe shall be the noiatyue case to his owne verbe: if there come none other worde that may be nomynatyfe case to the verbe betwene the relatyue and his verbe

In case there do: the relatyfe shall be such case as the worde woll haue after hym. wherof he is gouerned in lesse he be vngouerned.

The Worde wherof the relatyf is gouerned is somtyme the verbe of the relatyf. Somtyme an infynitif mode. Somtyme a partycple solo Wyng. Somtyme a pposicion if there be any ioyned to hym Somtyme the noiatyf case. Somtyme another thyng longynge to the noiatife case. And somtyme a casuell Worde comynge bitwene the relatife & the noiatife case. for than the relatyfe shall be such case as the Worde woll haue after hym. and that Worde shalbe gouerned of one of that other forsayde gouerners. & if the relatife be vngouerned & ioyned With a participle: he shalbe thablatyfe case absolute.

Quem preceptor studiosissime docet.

Quem preceptor studiosissime constituit docere

Quem preceptor studiosissime docturus est

In quo docendo preceptor fatigatur

Lulus preceptor nullum in studendo tempus remittit.

Quem preceptor studiosissime docens fatigatur

Lulus ingenium omnes laudant

Quo proficiente magna amici omnes capiunt voluptatem.

Non possunt
studere

And the saide rule of the relatyue is also necessary for the regiment of notvnes interrogatyues & ifynyte. For if there come no nomynatyue case bytwene them & the verbe neyther after the verbe: than they shall be nomynatyfe case to the verbe. And if there do: than they shall be lyke wyse gouerned as the retatyue.

Ci

What shalt thou do/ if ther be dyuerse relatifes
hauyuge dyuerse verbys/ or dyuers cōiunctyons
wylth dyuers verbys/ or both relatifes & cōiunctiōs
with ther verbys in one reason? I muste seke
oute the moze pꝛyncypall verbes of theym.

How shalt thou know them? For euer the ver
be of the fyrst relatyfe/ or the verbe of the fyrst cō
iunction is the moze pꝛyncypall verbe And if the
cōiunctyon go byfoze the relatyfe the verbe of the
cōiunctyon/shal be the moze pꝛyncypal verbe.

If the relatyfe go byfoze the cōiunctyon? the ver
be of the relatyfe shal be the moze pꝛyncipal. And
lyke wyse of an aduerbe.

Fallax es: qui quod promittis minime prestas.

Meditare lectionem tuā: quia si nescieris vapulabis.

Fac ut que promiseris ea prestes.

Cōmendo tibi hunc hominē qui a me (ut tibi cōmendaretur) multis
precibus impetratur.

W knowest the genytyfe case? For he an
swereth to thes questyons/ whose/ of whē/
se howe olde or ellys a possessyfe/ and that moost
vledely to the secounde questyon/ or sum thyng
equyualent as for the thꝛd.

Whole. **T**he maysters boke. Liber pꝛeceptoris. That bo
ke is the maysters. Ille liber est pꝛeceptoris. My
grounde. Fundus meus. Thy lande. Agri tui. Dyr howse Illius
edes (pluraliter) My fader sayth that it is his. Pater meus dicit
esse suam. My faders graunde sye. My moders graunde sye. Avus
patris mei. Avus matris mee. Wat Avus paternus. Avus mater
nus. For these two betokeneth my graunde sye of the faders syde
My graunde sye of the moders syde. The grounde is

my part. Fundus est pars mea, non mei. My hande is parte of me
Manus mea pars mei est: non pars mea.

Of Whens. The bysshop or theperour or cytesen of rome
Pontifex romanus. Imperator romanus. Ci
uis romanus. The maye of the cyte. Victor vrbis vel vrbanus.
A londoner. Homo londoniensis. A marchaunt of london. Mercator
londoniensis. I am a londoner. Sum londoniensis. Johñ of Wyn
chester. Johannis Wintoniensis. A mayster of parys. Magister pa
risiensis (non parisiensis) Sec fishe. Pisces maris vel marini. Fresh
Water fishe. Pisces fluuiatilis. Mudde fishe. Pisces palustres.
Elephauntys of araby of ynde Elephanti arabici Indici.
Appullys of medis or of assyrye that is to say Syngis. Mala modi
ca vel assyria Appullys of perse. that ben called pectis. Mala per
sica.

Howe olde. This yeris Whete. or Whete of this yere
Frumentu huius anni: vel frumentu annoti
mũ. vel homotimũ. Wyne of one yere.ũ.ũ. yere or iiii. yere olde. Vinũ
vnius anni. duor tris/ quattuor annor. Vinũ annicuũ/ bĩmũ trĩmũ
quadrĩmũ. A childe of x. monethes olde.ũ. yere. iiii. yere. iiii. yere
olde. Puer vnius anni duor tris. quattuor annorum. Puer annicu
lus: bĩmulus trĩmulus: quadrĩmulus. A childe of v. yere. vi. vii. vii.ũ.
ix. x. yere olde. Puer quinqs annor. sex. septẽ. octo. nouẽ. decẽ annorũ
Puer quinquẽnis sexennis. septennis. octennis. nouennis. decẽnis
Vel puer quinqs annos natus. decem annos natus.

**But thanswere to this questyon whoys ioye
ned with thenglyssh of Est Refert & Interest this
wyse englysshed It is for profyte. is alwey and
only a genytyfe bothe of noynes and pronyes
pĩnutyfes. Excepte. v. the fyrst in whoys placys
answeryth only thablatyfe singuler and femyne
gender of their possellyfes.**

Interest. It is for all mennys profite that goode men rule.
Interest omniũ bonos pĩcesse. It Was for my p
fite thou camest hyder. Ma interfuũ huc te venisse

Refert. We erreth that synkeith that it is no thyng for his
profite to be sette to gode maysters. Errat. qui sua nẽ
hĩl referre putat tradi se bonis pĩceptonibus.

Ca.

Item thanſwere to thoſe queſtions how moche
howe longe is a genitive or a poſſeſſyue if it ioyned
with a nomine ſubſtantyue/ or a verbe ſubſtatyf
If wyth a nomine adiective/ an accuſatif or an ab
latyfe.

Howe moche. A ſote or ſ brode. Latitudo vnus pedis
vel duor pedu pedalis vel bipedalis. A
thombe or finger thyknes. An⁹ pollicis aut digiti crasſitudo. Polli
caris vel digitalis crasſitudo. A table ſ ſote brode 7 as many fingers
thyk Mensa duos pedes lata. totidemq; digitos crassa. ellys duobus
pedib⁹ totidemq; digitis

Howe longe. A dayes journey. Iter diurnu. Iter vnus
diei. ſ dayes. ſij dayes. ſiij dayes journey.
Iter duor triſi quattuor diey (Dubito an liceat dicere) Iter biſdua
nu: triſduanu: q; triſduanu. A monethes journey ſ ſij monethes jour
ney. Iter menſtriſi/ biſmeſtre/ triſmeſtre. Iter vnus menſis: duor ſi tri
um menſiu. ſ yeris/ ſij yeris journey. Iter biennale: triennale. Iter
duor triſi annor. And lyke Wyſe a dayes ſpace. i Wo dayes. Thre
dayes ſpace. Interuallu vnus diei: duor ſi triſi diey. Interuallum di
urnum biſduanum: triſduanu. A tre xx. ſote longe. Arbor viginti pe
des vel pedibus longa.

And lyke wyſe to theſe queſtions/ of whom?
whereof/ of what? whan in their places ſtandeth
any of the queſtyons afore reherſyd/ anſwereth a
genytyfe/ or ellys a poſſeſſyue whan nat: if than
ſwere be ioyned with any maner of nomine comō
ly it ſhalbe a genitive. If with any maner of ver
be. comōly an ablatyfe/ how be it both with nomine
neſſa verbis of euery ſort. anſwereth now a geny
tyfe only. as with memor penitet & amatoz. thys
wyſe engliſhed/ A louer of Wynchcheſter. Now an
ablatyfe only: & that wyth ſpōſycion: as wyth
ſentencia/ triſtis et peto, or withoute: as with op⁹

nobilis & spolio. Now a genytyfe or an ablatyf & that with prepolicion. as with certus mentio me mini. Also with noynes ptytyues expresseyd or vnderstonde/ dystributyues/ iterrogatyues ifyntes/ cōparatyues & superlatyues: or withoute as with plenus/ vacuus refertus: and verbes pteynynge to iugement. And also whan the question asketh of what byenge

Of Whom. Wherof. or of What. Whan in ther places stande any of these afore rehersed. Whose. of Whens. how olde. The fader of the childe. This of the childe and Wereth as Well to these questios of Whom. Wherof. of What as to this questyon Whose. Like Wise the goWne of a Woman. this of a Woman and Wereth as Well &c. Also here the bisskop of Wynchester. this of Wynchester and Wereth both to these of What Wherof and to this of Whens. Also her Wyne of ij. yere. this of ij yere and Wereth both to this question / of What: and this how olde. But whan the il. first may nat stande in the place of il. latter. one rule can nat serue for theym all. as here myndefull of me. this of me and Wereth to this questyon of Whom and nat Whoys. and therfore I shall say memor mei nō meus. Also a louer of Wynchester. this of Wynchester and Wereth to these questyons of What: Wherof. nat to this of Whens. as he doth here. bisskop of Wynchester. and therfore We must say amator Wintonie non Wintoniensis. And also it repenteth me of my lyfe. this of my lyfe and Wereth to this question of What. but nat Whoys. Penitet me vite mee. and lyke Wyse With piget and pudet teder & misere.

Of Whome. Wherof. or of What. Whan in ther places may nat stande any of that other. The scole mayster. Preceptor. ludl. Desyrus of renowne. Auidus glorie. We be bothe nourished and made of one maner of thyng. Ex illdem sumus et nutrimur. Wyndfull of me. Memor mei. It repenteth me of my lyfe. Penitet me vite mee A louer of Wynchester. Amator Wintonie. The maysters sentence of me. Preceptoris de me sententia. Sory of my faders dethe.

Tristis de morte patris. I aske of the. Peto a te. There is no nede
 of this craite. Nichil ista hac opus est arte. A noble man of bythe.
 Nobilis genere. A thef hath robbed me of my godys. Ratto ipo
 liauit me bonis. Certeyne of all thyngc. Olim reru certus. vel de om
 nibus reb⁹ certus. Make me certeyn of thy maters. Fac me certio
 rem rerum tuarum vel de rebus tuis. There Was mencyon made of
 the. Facta est tui: vel de te mentio. I haue made mencyon of the.
 Memini tui: vel de te. One of vs. Unus nostrorum vel ex nobis. Wyse
 Wyse Where a partityue is vnderstonde & nat expiessed as here.
 Theophrast Was one of the most famous autours of grekes The
 opirastus erat celeberrimis grecoru autoribus. Etyher of vs bothe.
 Alterq; nostrum vel ex nobis. Eche of vs. Anusquisq; nostrum / vel
 ex nobis. ¶ Who of you all. Quis vestrum omnium. vel quis ex vo
 bis omnibus. Who of you bothe. Alter vestrum duorum. vel vter ex
 vobis duobus. Who so euer of the frenchemen. Quicunq; gallorum
 vel ex gallis. Who so euer of theym bothe. Altercunq; vel vteruis illo
 rum duorum vel ex illis duobus. Of tWo illys this is the Worst.
 Duorum maloru vel ex duobus malis hoc est deterius. The best of vs
 all. Optimus nostrum omnium. vel ex nobis omnibus. A celler full
 of Wyne. Apotheca plena et refecta vini vel vino. Aoyde of all cas
 rys. Aiacus omi curarum vel oibus curis. One hath accused me of
 theft. and the Iuge hath condemned me of this same cryme. Qui
 dam accusauit me furti vel furto. et iudex condemnauit me eiusdem
 criminis vel eodem crimine. A childe of gode disposicion. Puer bo
 ne indolis vel bona indole. A tre of greate height. Arbo: magne p
 ceritatis vel magna proceritate. So that there is comonly an adiec
 tyue toynd With the genytyfe or ablatyfe in this maner of spekyngc
 And lyke Wyse after a verbe substantyue. as this childe Was euer
 of gode disposicion. Ille puer semper erat bone indolis vel bona in
 dole.

Also with verbes that be no substantyues nowe
 a datyfe only as with Timeo. nowe a genytyfe: or
 a datyfe. as with misereor. nowe a datyue / or an
 ablatyue. as wyth verbe passyues.

I fere of the. Timeo tibi. I haue mercy or pyte of the. Misericor
 vel tibi. Thou shalt be loued of me. Amaberis mihi vel a me

Also to this questyon wherof askynge of the
mater and ioyned with a no wne signifiynge the
thinge made/ an ablatyue with a pꝛepolicōn oꝝ a
a possessyue.

A cuppe of golde. *Poculum aureū vel ex auro.*

Also than were to the questyons foꝝ whome
oꝝ foꝝ what: if it be ioyned with a verbe substan-
tyfe is comonly a genytyfe. but somtyme an abs-
latyue with a pꝛpolicōn. If with a no wne substā-
tyuc it is comonly a possessife. & selde a genytyue
Al be it with some no possessife: but a genytyfe oꝝ
an ablatyue with pꝛepolicyon: as with cura:

It is foꝝ a master to tech Well. *Preceptoris ē recte docere.* It Was
nat foꝝ thy Wo. shyp to accuse me. *Nō erat honoris tui: accusare me:*
vel nō erat e dignitate tua. And lyke Wyse it shall nat be foꝝ thy p-
fite. *Nō erat re tua vel nō e erit tibi ex viū.* It shall nat be foꝝ thy ea-
se. *Nō erit tibi ex cōmodo*

A Wyne pottle. *Cuppa vinaria non vñl.* foꝝ it is nat one to say a Wy-
ne pottle a pot a Wyne foꝝ that is a Wyne pot that serueth foꝝ Wyne
though there be no Wyne in it. A pottle of Wyne is nat Wythoute
Wyne. though it serueth nat foꝝ Wyne. so that it is one to say a Wy-
ne pottle & pot foꝝ Wyne. And lyke Wyse in many oþer a Wyne cels-
ler. an ale barell. an oyle vessell. *Cella vinaria. amphora seruilaria.*
Uas olearii. A mannys go Wne. *Toga virilis.* A Womans clothyn-
ge. *Vestis mullebris.* A kynges saynge. *Regia vox.* So Wiers Were
Cerotum sutorium. So Wiers Inke oꝝ bletche. *atramētū sutorium.*
Wryters Inke. *atramētū scriptoriū.* A penner cas. *Theca pēnaria*
A penner knyfe. *Scalprum pēnerarium.* Suetony sayth. *Scalprum*
librarium. and some sayth *scalpellum.* An Inke home. *Comu atra-*
mentoriū. an Inke pot. *Uas atramentoriū.* A peper querne. *Mola*
piperaria. A cole ho We. a Wode ho We, a Larder house a bakhouse

a breWhouse. an alchoWse. a boke hoWse or a library. *Domus casa bonaria. lignaria. carnaria. pistoria. seruillatoria. seruilaria. libaria.* In all theie anWereth the possessiue. to this questyon for What or for Whome: and all be it in some of these myhg: be used the genytyf namely an anWerynge to this questyon for Whome as *toga virilis vestis muliebris.* for he anWereth also to this questyon Whoye. Heuerthelesse I thynke nat so properly as the possessyf. *Care for ry chesse. Cura diuiciarum vel diuicijs.*

If with adiectyues it is comonly a datyue/ or an accusatyfe with pposicyon. but with *Secur⁹ & sollicitus*/ a genytyfe or an ablatyue with pposicyon. If with verbys/ it is nowe a datife nowe a accusatyfe with pposicyon/ nowe withoute now an ablatyue with pposicyon nowe withoute

Phylsye is necessary for seke men and profytable for many thynges. *Medicina necessaria est egrotis. utilisq; ad multa.* Carelesse for all payllis. *Securus omnis periculi vel de omni periculo.* Careful for the *Sollicitus tui vel de te.* It is expedient for the. *Expedit tibi.* Thou laydest aWayte for me. *Insidias tui mihi.* I am nat able for so greate an enterpryse. *Non sufficio tante prouincie.* I haue purueyed for the a boke. *Misperi tibi librum.* Grammer serueth for many thynges. *Grammatica valet ad multa.* I can nat be in rest fyr Anteny. *Non possum esse per Antonii quietus.* I coude nat Wryte for occupacions. *Non licuit mihi per occupationes scribere.* I loke for letters. *Expecto litteras.* I called for my boke. *Proposui librum.* I came to london for many causes. *Veni londonis multis de causis.* I shall do for the. *Bene merebor de te.* I shall haue the for my fader. *Habebo te p patre.* I shall do it only for thy sake. *Facia tua causa distaxat.* Anteny hath gyuen the many benefites more for hatred of me than for loue of the. *Multa in te beneficia contulit Antonius. magis odio mei q̄ amore tui.*

How knowest the datife case. For he answereth moost comonly to these questyons to whome. or to what/ or ellis an accusatife with this preposicion ad. All be it somtyme a genytyue/ as after Amans & Insolens. and also after Est refert and Interest. This wise englyshed it maketh mater but yet with the foresaide excepcion. Somtyme a genytyfe or a datyfe. as after Similis & dissimilis proprius & communis.

The fat cleueh to the rose of my mouth. *Unguedo heret palato.* I shall gyue the a penner knyfe. *Dabo tibi scalpellum librarium* Send to me oranges. *Mitte mihi vel ad me mala modica.* The mayster is louynge to me. *Preceptor est amans mei.* I am nat Wont to laten speche. *Sum latinis sermonis insolens.* It maketh no mater to me so that I may haue hir. *Nilil mea refert modo potior illa.* Lyke Wyse With Interest after the same ostruction that Was spoken of in the genytyfe case. Thou art nat vnyke thy fader: or to thy fader. *Tu non es dissimilis patris vel patri.* And so With Similis. It is proper to man then serche of trouth. *Homini vel homini propria est inquisitio veri.* It is comon to all bestis thapperyte of goyng to geder. *Commune est omnium animantium conjunctionis appetitus.* There be many thynges comon to the cytesyns but Wene them self *Multa sunt ciuibus inter se communia.*

How knowest the accusatife case. for he cometh both before the verbe: & after: if it be Infynytife mode. ellys alway after. in lesse the relatyue lette it. Answerynge to theyse questyons whom or what/ and that alwey. if it come before the verbe. If after. nat alwey. But after some a genytyfe or an accusatyfe. as after Obluiscor Recordor. After some a datyfe or an accusatyue. as after Prestolo.

¶ Byd thy scole fello We god spede or fare Well. Jube condiscipuli
tuis saluere vel valere. It is a vertuous laboure to teche chyldren.
Donestus labor est docere pueros. Patrem sequitur sua proes. I
remembre hym. Recordor illum vel illius. Thou haste forgete me.
Obliuiscere me vel mei. I shall byde the. Prestolabor te vel tibi

¶ After som both datyfe and ablatyfe as Inter
dico. After som a datyfe only. as after verby's sig
nifyenge preferrynge or preeminence/ but not alle
signifyenge also cōinaūdyng/ subiectyon or obe
yng/ mettig with stōdyng & helping/ but not al
foz I uuo & adiuuo hath an accusatyfe.

¶ But all these folowynge wyll haue datyfe.
Impero. Jubeo. precipio. edico. seruiō. famuloz.
ministro. obsequioz. supplico. obedio. obsecundo.
obtempero parco. occurro. Obuiō obuius sum.
obuius fio. obuiam eo. auxilioz opituloz. opē fero
subuenio succurro. suffrago. resisto obisto obsto
aduerso. repugno. refrago.

Lyke wyse these folowynge **¶** Versus
Parcet/placet/nocet/insultat fauet inuidet ipono
Iminet. impendit. dolet. ignoscit. minoz. incūbo
Indulget. credit. studet. astat. derogat. illudo.

¶ I forbode the fyre and Water. Interdisco tibi igni et aqua.
Vertue passeth rycheffe. Virius prestat diuicijs. Man ought passe
other bestys. Homo debet ceteris aiantibus prestare precellere: an
tecellere: antecire: plucere. I am of oute to be sente aboue the. Sum
tibi merito antepōendus. pponendus / anteferendus / pferendus.
Many sette rycheffe besote vertue Multi diuicias virtuti pponunt
anteponunt. preferunt anteferunt. and lyke Wyse postpono. postha
beo. postfero. and generally verby's compounde With p: and ante.
excepte antecedo. and precedo Which Woll haue an accusatif only.

Lyke as excedo:preccello ⁊ antecello may haue both datyfe ⁊ accusa-
tyf But vinco ⁊ supero With ther cōpoundes (all be it they betoken)
passynge) Woll haue but an accusatyue.

After sum an ablatyfe, as after these,
Carco. vaco. dignoꝝ. fungoꝝ. potioꝝ. fruoꝝ. vtoꝝ.
Pruat. eget. vescoꝝ. mulcto. exult. induo. pascōꝝ.
And beside that after sum of these as wel a genitif
as an ablatif/ after sum as wel an accusatif as an
ablatyfe. **A**fter pluſt an ablatyfe only.

How knowest the vocatife case? For he anſwe-
ryth to no questyon/ but calleth oꝝ spekyth too. as
Heus puer.

How knowest th ablatif case? for after ver-
bys he anſweryth to these questyons: how
whā/ where/ how longe tyme/ how ferre/ wher at
wherin/ wherbi/ oꝝ wherthoꝝow/ wherfro/ wher
with/ by syde these questyons whome oꝝ what of
whom. oꝝ of what. fro whom oꝝ for what Also to
these howmoche. In howmoche. For howmoche.
sygnyfyngge pryce. And only with constat as. for
the fyrst. oꝝ with Stat as for the seconde **A**lso
after comparatyfe degreys to these questions thā
whom oꝝ than what. by what oꝝ by howmoche.
And all be it that the anſwere of these questyons
be not al way an ablatif nether yet one maner wī-
se. an ablatife. But now with pꝛepositiyon now
without; now an accusatyfe and that somtyme
with pꝛepositiyon. somtyme without. Now a ge

nytif: now a datife: now some aduerbe? Neuer
theles there is none ablatife case withoute pposy
cion & gouerned: but that he answerethe to one of
these questyons except the ablatyues cases of no
wne relatyues & interrogattues. which neuer an
swereth. neyther any other cases of them.

¶ Ensaumples folowynge

Howe. This Wyse thou shalt knowe my sonnes lyfe. Hoc
pacto cognosces vitam gnati. It lucketh nat this Wey
We must go another Wey. Hac non successit alia agrediendi est via.
I sayde in lape nat in cryst. Dixi loco non serio. I dyd it for the no
rys / or in purpos. Feci dedita opera de industria: consulto. We ston
deth a tip to. Insistit in primis digitis. I Wente afoote. Pedibus p
fectus sum. We saught on hors backe. Pugnavit ex equo. I answ
red after this maner. Respondi in hunc modum.

Whan. I came the last Weke. Veni superiore hebdomada.
I sayde masse at nyne. Feci rem sacram hora nona.
I looked for the: the last creacyon of maysters. Expectabam te piori
mis comiciis magistrorum. In thre dayes I shall make an ende Tri
duo perficiam. Upon sonday I shall be here Wyth the. Dicadero te
cum disco die. I came the selfe season. Veni in ipso tempore. I shall ap
pere at the day sette. Presto ero ad diem statutum. I came besooie
day a litell after syr & Woll come ageyne after none aboute thre. Ve
ni paulo ante lucem post sextam ac reuertar post meridiem circiter
horam terciam. Within fewe dayes I shall perfourme that I promy
sed. Paucis diebus vel intra paucos dies prestabo quod promisi.

Where. I have ben at church. at market. at the mayne. Sum
in templo. ad forum. vel in foro. apud pietorem. In my cham
ber. In my bed. In cubiculo meo. In cubili meo. Eney Was greatly
trobled both onlonde & se. Eneas multum fuit et terris lactatus & alto
Byonde the hilles. Ultra montes. Bishyder Rhene. de Rhenum.

How longe tyme. xv. dayes continuall withgrynngalye
syngen. Quindecim diebus continuus lus
cinie canit. All these six monethes I shall cause the be at rest. To
ros sex hos menses quietum te reddam. I have herde the mayster wo
pere. Audivi preceptorem duobus annis vel duos annos. I have con
tynued at oxforde xx. yere. Versatus sum oxonie lxx. annis vel annos

Howe farre. Wynchester is fro oxforde xl. myle. Wyntonia abest ab oronia quadragies mille pass⁹ vel passibus. vel quadraginta millia passuum. vel milibus. We be a greate Wey a sonder as beyng distaunt a⁹ L. M. forlonge. Magno locon interuallo se ligimur vt pote centies mille stadiis: vel centum milibus stadiis distantes. The mouth of the nyringes of thoe an stretcheth in length xv. myle. In brede v. Os vel fauces oceanis patent in longitudinem quidecim milibus passuum. In latitudinem quinqs.

Wherat. We play at ball. at tables. at dyce. at chessys. at cards. Ludimus pila. alueo. taxillis. calculis. oscillis. Playnge at ball or at ches may be suffred: but nat tables / dyce: or cards. Lusus pile: aut calculor tolerari quidem potest. sed aluel taxillis: aut oscilloz minime. Late vs shote at buttis / markis. Sagitte m⁹ ad metas: vel ad scopulos v⁹ ad destinata. Petry: Was asshamed at the voyce of an handmayde. Petrus expault ad vocem ancille. Say at one Word Wh at it is that thou Woll me do. Dic vno verbo quid est quod me velis. The cyte Was taken at the first assaute: or at the firste chop. Capta est vrbs primo impetu. He strake of hys hede at t^h Wyle or at t^h Wo stroke or at the secoside stroke. Amputauit ei capud secunde ictu. He dranke thre galons at one draught or Wen ge. Tres congios vno hastu ebibit. vel vno impetu hausit. I Was p^lent at election / Interfui electionis: vel aderam in electiōe. Late vs begynne at the lyfe of cryst. Exordiamur a v^lta cristi

Wherin. I shall ouercome the in rennyng. Vincam te cursu. I abounde nat in ryche shye. Non abundo diuitiis. I deliight in vertue. Delector virtute: I delyghteme in god. Oblecto me in deo. Many setten. thei felicitye in plesuris Multi felicitatem in voluptatibus constituunt.

Wherby or wherthoro I haue passed myn au^lcestry by: or thoro W^h my vertu. Ego meis maioribus mea virtute pluxi. I Was deceyued by subtilte. Dolo circumuentus sum. I Was compelled by vyolence. Vi vel per vim coactus sum. I rushed or brake thoro We the myddes of myne ennemyes. Irrupi per medios hostes. I shall Wryte by my leyfere. Scribam per ocium. I late by the fyre. Sedebam ad focu. Syt by me. Sede iuxta me.

Wherfro. I absteyned fro beyffe. Abstineo carne bubula. v^l a carne bubula. We be nat far fro the cyte. Non sumus procul vrbe vel ab vrbe.

I departed from hym. Discessit ab eo. Many of the so Wdeours fall
fro their capiteyne. Multis ex capiteynis militibus deficiunt vel desin-
cunt a duce. I shall take fro the all thy heritage. Edimā tibi omnē
hereditatē. I shall take fro thy lyfe for thou hast taken a Way from
me all my prasyng. Eripia tibi vel a te vitam quippe tu omnem michi
laudem pripuisti non a me. It is nat Well Whan the Wyues lyeth a-
sonder fro their husbondes. Nō bene habet cū uxores a viris sece-
rent. There is no thyng that can drawe my mynde fro study. Nū-
quid est quod animum meū auocet a studiū.

Wher With. Children must be bete With a rod nat With
the fist. Verberē cedendū sunt pueri nō pugno.
It is nat al Wey to be thought he that Walketh With Wepen: had
mynde to stryke With Wepen. Non semper putandus est is qui cū
telo ambulauit: percutere telo voluisset. I helde hym With talkin-
ge. Traxi eum sermone. Thou dre West me south With false hope
Tu me falsa spe producis. Clothes ben dyed With dyuers colours
Vestes variis coloribus inficiuntur. We bicke the cloddys With
right greate laboure. Plurimo cū sudore glebas frangimus. Thy
fader after moche colicacyon had With hym of the prayed me to dy-
ne With hym. Postea tuus post multos secū habitos de te sermones
rogauit me vt apud se pranderē. Thou shalt nat do it neyther With
thyne ease neyther With thyne honour neyther With thy profite. Tu
neq; ex cōmodo neq; ex dignitate tua neq; e re tua vel ex vsu feceris
I am Wroth With the. Irascor succenseo stomacho tibi: Thou dost
no thyng but flater and glose With me. Tu nihil aliud facis q̄ adu-
laris assentatis vel blandiris michi.

Howe moche. This boke cost me fifti/sovereynes and of
many nobles. Hic liber constabat michi
quattuor aureis semilunculis toridēq; sextularibus

In how moche. My boorde stode me in greate money.
Stetit michi mensa grandis pecunia

For howe moche I haue solde the my londe for si. ry
allis Which I Wolde nat do to ano-
ther man for moche more money. Vendi tibi agros meos tribus
aureis sesquialteribus. Id qd alteri multo maiori pecunia minime se-
dist. I haue bought a maner for xx. li. Emi villā viginti libris. The
pulle of Whete is viij. s. bushell. Pice frumenti octauū denarij in.

modios. & comonly children ben taught for xij. pence a quarter. and in some places fre. Fere docentur pueri duodenis denariis in ternos menses et quibuidam locis gratuito. I have hyred me an howse for xl. s. a yere. Conduxi mihi domum quadraginta solidis in annu.

Chan whom/or chan what. There is noo thyng more noble than vertue. Nihil est virtute prestantius vel q̄ virtus. There Was no man more gracious than Cesar. Hemo erat clementior & cesare/vel q̄ cesar. Men say that I shalbe Wiser than euer Was my fader. Aunt me prudentiorum patre fore: vel q̄ patrem vnq̄ fuisse/vel q̄ pater vnq̄ fuit. I am more than xlvij. Maior sum septem et quadraginta annis. non q̄ septem et quadraginta annis. I toke it more heuy than a man Wolde Wene. Egrius tui q̄ quis ratus esset. I am rycher thanne men Wolde Wene. Ditor sum opinione hominum. nō q̄ opinio hominū. ellis q̄ homines opinantur. I have taken vpon me a gretter enterpryse than I can aWay With. Suscepi maiorem viribus pro vinciam.

By what/or by howe moche. I am moche hyer than thou. Sū multo altior te. I am thicker than thou almost by ij. ynches. Sum crassior te sextante propemodum.

Also whanne there is an hangynge reason by twene a noʒne / or pʒonowne and a particyple/ wythoute any other token or woʒde to gouerne theym: they shall be sette in the ablatyfe case wythoute a pʒeposicyon. and that is called the ablatyue case absolute.

Or ellys the particyple shall be resolued into hys verbe wythoute any of theyse coniunctyons. Si quia/cum/dum/quando/ hauynge to his noiny natyue case the sayde noʒne or pʒonowne.

Oute of this rule of cases ben excepte pper names of townes and cyties. For when they betokeneth bydyng at a place: if ther laten be the first declension or secoude and singuler nomenclature. they shall be the genityue case. if nat: th ablatife wythoute preposicion. & if they betoken mouyng to a place: they shalbe the accusatyue case wythoute a preposicion. ¶ If fro or by a place: the ablatyue case wythoute a pposicion. ¶ And these iiiu nomenclatures Rus: domus: hum: & militia. folowethe the same rule of proper names of cyties. Saue that Rus betokenyng bydyng at a place: shall be put in the datyue case. as he dwelleth vplonde or in the countrey. Manet ruri.

Now knowest a preposicion: for he is a parte of reason vnderclayned: moste comonly set before other partys of reason / both in apposition & in composition. ¶ An di. dis. re. se. con. only in composition. All other in apposition. but nat all in composition. And these serueth to cases. Some to the accusatife only. as. Ad. apud. ante. &c. Some to the ablatyfe only. as. A. ab. abs. cu. &c. Some to both: as. In. Sub. & Super ¶ Tenus to the genityue plurell of nomenclatures lackyng the singuler / or signyfyinge thynges doubled. as. Cum mariu tenus. Auru tenus. as he drewe his bowe to the eerys. Adduxit archu auru tenus.

Apud veteres
an igitur ac-
cusatio in ap-
positione sit
Cato. An ter-
minu id est cir-
cu terminu A
bout a terme

¶ Non puto.
subus vllis ser-
uire casui: nec
Subter ablati-
uo.

H We knowest an aduerbe? for he is a parte of reason vndeclined declarynge for y^e moze parte the circumstaunce of doynge. sufferynge or beyng/whether it be verbe or partyciple/gerū dyues/or supyne. And nat only this: but also oft tyne declareth the signyfication of adiectyues. & may be construed with all cases, with the nominatyfe: as En priamus. with the genytyfe: as pri die illius diei. with the datyfe: as Propius urbi. with the accusatyfe: as pri die kalendas. with the vocatyue: as Heus puer. wyth the ablatyue: As Precul vrbe.

And with all cases/lyke wyse/excepte genytyfe & ablatyfe/may an Interieccōn be construed. which is a parte of reason vndeclined. moche lyke an aduerbe, and betokeneth passyon of mannys soule/that is to say/ioy. sorow. drede indignacōn or marueplynge. and that with an i ordynat voyce. as Prohdolo, for the nominatif case. Hei mihi. for the datyfe. Heu me miserū. for the accusatyue. O nox illa que tenebras attulisti. for the vocatyfe.

H We knowest a cōiunction? For he is a parte of reason vndeclined that byndeth or ioyneth wordys or sentense togeder.

And as touchynge Cōiunctions copulatyues

or disiunctyfes: they neuer ioyneth to geder woꝝ
 des of dyuerse cases. But selde without som spes
 cyall rule/ let hit as the rule of pꝛopꝛ names of
 placys: and of some noꝛmes betokenynge pꝛyce.
 as I haue bought this boke for. xx. pens & lesse.
 Cui hūc librū vīginti denariis & minoris.

¶ Also these coniūctyons/ q̄/ pꝛeterq̄/ Nisi/ copu
 leth lyke cases often tymes.

q̄. notatīf cases
 q̄. substantyfs
 q̄. antedētes

singular ioyned With
 a cōiunction copulatyfe
 Wyll haue a

verbe
 adiectyfe
 relatyfe
 plural

¶ And if they be of sundꝛy persons / or genders.
 the concoꝛde must be after the pꝛone or gender cō
 ceꝛuyng. ¶ If two nomynatīfe cases be ioyned
 with a coniūction disiūctyfe. the verbe shall accoꝛ
 de with the nexte. whether the verbe be sette befo
 re or after; or in the myddys.

¶ Here endeth the accidence made at the instaun
 ce of George Chastelayn/ and Iohā Bars: Cui
 pꝛynted by Rycharde Wynson.

